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## Knox United Church Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Knox United Church (Westcott and Westerdale) was held in the Knox United Church, Didsbury, Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 8 o'clock. Rev. Hayes acting as chairman. The meeting was well attended. Each department had previously met, elected their officers and dealt with the reports pertaining to that particular branch of the work, so that the annual meeting had the pleasure of reviewing the work in total. All departments showed a healthy increase, and the church goes forward in the best condition in its history. As heretofore, the Ladies Aid made a large contribution, having paid in cash for the sewing of the church, as well as materially assisting in a further reduction of the debt. The Sunday School also recorded an increase in its roll, and in enrollment, and larger quarters have been provided, though much has to be done to make these quarters suitable.

At the annual meeting and banquet of 1929, over \$900 were subscribed to the building fund. This was fully paid, and the total debt on the church has been reduced to about \$2,000, which is gratifying. The mission account showed a slight decrease, but this was offset by the fact that the charge is now self-supporting, and is no longer dependent on outside help. Few know that during the last ten years a total of about \$7,000 has been received from the mission fund to carry on the work in the Didsbury district.

The minister thanked one and all for their hearty support, and urged the people this year to keep the work prayerfully in mind. At no time was the message of courage more needed, nor the fellowship that comes through loyalty to the Cause.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served in the basement.

## "Y" Notes.

The February meeting of the Didsbury "Y" was held at the home of Beth and Lila Wrigglesworth on Tuesday night, February 10th.

The meeting was opened with the president, Margaret Kercher in the chair. After the pledge, roll-call, treasurer's report, and reading of the minutes, Miss Z. Cressman took charge of the devotional period. Mrs. R. Cunningham gave a very instructive talk on "Peace and Arbitration."

The girls decided to put on a play at the W.C.T.U. mothers and daughters banquet in March, also to have Mrs. F. G. Grevett attend if possible.

After the business, the girls enjoyed a social half-hour, during which two good contests were staged.

## C.G.I.T., Tuxis, And Trail Rangers Social

The C.G.I.T. Girls, and Tuxis and Trail Rangers Boys Groups held their annual mother and daughter, father and son social gathering in Knox United Church on Monday evening.

The program was as follows: The chairman, Ormond Phillips, opened with a few words of welcome on behalf of the girls and boys to the mothers and dads. This was followed by a "Welcome Yell" from the girls and boys. Rev. A. E. Hayes then spoke for a few minutes on the work of the girls and boys. Mrs. Boorman led the singing, which was enjoyed by everybody. Both groups of C.G.I.T. girls, and Trail Ranger boys put on stunts that caused much amusement.

George Hawkes spoke on a boy's relationship with his dad, and Mr. Norman Clarke replied, and also spoke of the work of the girls and boys in our town.

Irene Bellamy gave an appreciation of the mothers, and Mrs. E. G. Ranton very fittingly replied.

The main speakers for the evening were: Mr. George Hilton, of Calgary, who gave a "chalk talk" on "Life sharing," and Mr. Tom Haythorne, Boys' Work Secretary for Alberta, who spoke on the "Need for Real Understanding between Girls and Mothers, and Boys and Dads." These addresses were enjoyed and appreciated by everyone.

The social was brought to a close with games conducted by Marvel Shells in the Old Church, followed with a lunch in the basement of the present church.

The girls and boys this week are putting on a drive to raise funds, and ask the mothers and dads and citizens of our town to assist them with generous contributions to the work of helping to make a Christian community. "Buy a Share."

## Don't Want Compulsory Pool.

That the farmers in the Hamman district, don't want compulsory pool, was decided at a well attended meeting held in the Hamman Community Hall, on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Johnson occupied the chair. There was a lively discussion, but on bringing the question to a vote it was unanimous in being against a compulsory wheat pool.

Mrs. Hembling attended this meeting, and the girls extend a hearty invitation to anyone caring to come in the future.

After a very dainty luncheon, served by the hostesses' mother, the meeting adjourned.

## LOCAL & GENERAL

Rev. A. E. Hayes is attending the presbytery at Lunenburg this week.

Miss Enith Hunneger was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday.

Paul Whiteman and his Band at the Opera House tonight (Thursday) in "King of Jazz." All talking, singing, dancing.

W. Monteith, watchmaker and jeweller, located at North End Saddlery (N. Nowak). Watch, clock, jewellery, and optical repairs.

"Gold Diggers of Broadway" will pay a return visit to the Opera House on Monday, February 23rd. Special prices: 25c and 15c.

Don't forget the Saturday Night Dance in the Opera House. Lady, 25c; Gentlemen, 25c. Bellamy Orchestra. u.f.n.

The local Oddfellows are reserving March 17th for their annual St. Patrick's dance. They are planning to make it a real Irish night in the Opera House.

Mrs. H. D. Booker and Mrs. R. A. Gulliver were delegates from the St. Cyprian's W.A. to the annual W.A. Convention, which was held in Calgary last week.

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A meeting of the U.F.A. will be held in the Old Presbyterian Church, on Friday afternoon, at 2:30 p.m. Reports will be presented of the U.F.A. and U.G.G. conventions. There will also be a speaker who will deal with the "Old Pool." Everybody is welcome to attend and ladies especially are invited.

The fire brigade was called out on Friday, to a fire which broke out at the residence of Mrs. G. O. Smith, of Lackerville. An overheated stove was the cause of the fire which broke out in the ceiling. The fire brigade had the chemical engine almost to the second floor before the fire had been extinguished by their quick action, were able to extinguish the fire before any considerable damage had been done.

On Sunday, February 22nd, Rev. A. E. Hayes is taking for his theme "Divine Healing." The minister, by special request has been asked to give a sermon on this theme. The work of Mrs. Alice McPherson will be referred to. No attempt will be made at sensationalism or entry into controversy, but a straightforward opinion will be given. Later on, the minister wishes to deal with the theme "The Spirit of God, and the Spirit of Man," which will make clear to the teachings of the United Church on the "Holy Spirit."

## DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT	
No. 1 Northern	41
No. 2	38
No. 3	34
No. 4	30
No. 5	28
No. 6	28
OATS	
No. 2 C.W.	17
No. 3	14
Extra No. 1 Feed	14
No. 1 Feed	12
BARLEY	
No. 3	13
RYE	
No. 2	10
No. 3	7
BUTTERFAT	
Table cream	32
Special	27
No. 1	25
No. 2	23

## HOCKEY.

The Didsbury boys are down 4 in the play-off series when Lacombe beat them on Tuesday night with a score of 5-1.

The game was fast but somewhat rough and the crowd who attended from here, claim it was the best game they had seen this winter.

The Lacombe team had the advantage of their own ice and in the return game the Didsbury boys will give them a tight run for the decision.

If the ice conditions are favorable, the game will be played here on Friday night.

## Pioneers Celebrate Thirtieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Stauffer on Thursday last celebrated their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

A number of neighbors and friends gathered at their home, extending their congratulations and best wishes. After a bounteous supper, the evening was spent in music, and rehearsing pioneer days. All agreed to having had a good time.

The family, on this auspicious occasion, presented their parents with a Westminster Chinese tambour clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Stauffer, with a number of others, came to the Didsbury district in 1901 as pioneers. Mr. Stauffer having taken a homestead the previous year, and returned from Ontario with his wife, and located on their farm west of Didsbury, where they have resided ever since.

According to the Alberta Gazette, Mr. C. F. Dooley has been appointed Commissioner for oaths.

Jack Holt and Ralph Graves in "Hell's Island" at the Opera House on Thursday, Feb. 26th. All talking picture.

J. V. Berscht is having his store remodelled, giving more floor space downstairs and indoor stairway to the bargain floor.

The St. Hilias Chapter of the Eastern Star held a white dance at the home of Mrs. Wrightson on Tuesday evening. Eight tables of whist was played, the prize winners being: Ladies first: Miss Laura Liesemer, second, Mrs. Alden; Gentlemen first, Mr. Durrer, 2nd, Mr. J. Flury.

## H. M. Reiber Resigns Town Council

The first meeting of the new town council was held on Monday evening, with Mayor Chambers in the chair.

Mr. H. M. Reiber handed in his resignation as councillor on account of business reasons. The resignation was regretfully accepted and the secretary instructed to call a meeting on Monday, February 23rd.

On behalf of the Red Cross, Mrs. Hugert appeared before the council, and asked that a grant be given the Junior Red Cross Hospital in Calgary. She stated that several Didsbury children had received treatment in the hospital during the past year, and that two town children were at present inmates of the institution. The council decided to make a grant of \$50.

The following committees were appointed for the year:

Finance: Mayor Chambers, and Dr. Clarke.

Public Works: C. H. Adshead, and R. Barrett.

Police & Licenses: A. C. Fisher, and W. T. Pitt.

Sanitation: C. H. Adshead, and Dr. Clarke.

Fire & Property: A. C. Fisher, and W. T. Pitt.

Councillor Barrett and Mrs. Harder were appointed to the Hospital Board.

Mayor Chambers, Mr. R. Ford, and Mrs. Hugert were appointed to the Library Board.

Local Board of Health: J. V. Berscht, Dr. Clarke, and A. C. Fisher.

Building Inspectors: F. Kaufman, G. H. Liesemer, and W. T. Pitt.

## Coming Events

U.F.A. meeting in the Old Presbyterian Church on Friday, February 20th, 2:30 p.m.

The "Go-Getters" will hold a box social and dance in the Melvin School on Friday, February 27th. Boxes will be sold at lunch time. Good music.

O.D. fellows St. Patrick's Dance in the Opera House, March 17th.

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### Keep Cool.

Foreign Minister Briand, of France, when recently taken to task by one of the Nationalist leaders who charged him with lack of interest in dealing with the existing situation, answered with some show of spirit: "I believe the best service one can render his country just now is by remaining cool."

Another state executive, Marcus Aurelius, gave practically the same counsel in the second century of this era when he said: "Do not be whirled about, but in every movement have respect to justice, and on the occasion of every impression maintain the faculty of understanding." Or, more briefly, keep cool.

The advice to keep cool, says a United States publication, is sound advice to every one of us at the beginning of 1931. True, but it is good advice at all times. The advice will be just as sound at the end of 1931 as at the beginning, and at all time intervening. The two quotations above demonstrate this, inasmuch as the advice tendered by an outstanding statesman of the second century is repeated by one of our leading world statesmen in the twentieth century. The words used may be different, but the meaning is the same.

Do not be whirled about. Keep cool.

When the stream of life is flowing evenly toward its destined port or goal, following a well marked channel, with hardly a ripple on the surface, it is comparatively easy to keep cool. There is nothing to whirl us about, and in the resultant tide of prosperity we pride ourselves on our strength and boast of the stability and greatness of our country.

But it is when, feeling thus safe from a sense of false security, whether in our individual or national life, we reach the rapids, and rocks of disaster loom ahead, that we are inclined to be whirled about. Then is the time for cool heads, stout hearts and steady hands. It is then that our strength will be proven, and the stability and greatness of our people and our country established.

In the realm of nature, cyclones and tornadoes result from the impact of hot air currents with cooler currents, the one rising, the other descending. (Concentric eddies, so in the realm of world economies, business depression follows inevitably upon a period of bounding prosperity. Just as heated air causes inflation, so does man in his business enterprise become puffed up. Both ultimately must be deflated, and it is in the process of deflation that trouble comes.

Then is the time to keep cool. When the sun is shining, and storm clouds are absent from the sky, and the barometer is steady, a ship's captain has a comparatively easy time, but when the storm breaks and the hurricane roars, and the ship is tossed and whirled about, it is essential that the captain remain cool and not whirled about.

This old world is just now in a "storm centre." It is passing through it; in time it will emerge. But it is now that we must all keep cool; it is now that it would be fatal to be whirled about. The present is the time to abandon the old charts which have guided us in the past. Now is not the time to throw the compass overboard, and mutiny against the captain. When we have finally emerged from the present difficulty we should, of course, take stock of our harrowing experience, and endeavor to devise ways and means to prevent or lessen the force of another such storm. But while the storm rages, keep cool.

Keep busy; work harder than ever before and work cheerfully, knowing that thereby the present task will be made the easier to bear; keep the faculty of understanding in full play; take alert advantage of every opportunity. Don't be stampeded and don't be discouraged. Let every one put his shoulder to the wheel and all push together.

To one and all, now and for every day of this year, is presented the admonition of the ancient Philistine leader: "Be strong, and quit yourselves like men!"

### Vast Gold Field in Japan

Mining Engineers Discover One of Unprecedented Wealth

A gold field, which is declared to be of unprecedented extent and wealth, has been discovered in Fushiki, Japan, by mining engineers representing the Tokyo Imperial University. Dr. Jikuro Yokohi, head of the expedition, estimates the amount of gold available to aggregate \$2,500,000. The deposits, he said, extend for approximately 150 miles and are rich in nature. "I actually took up gold dust in river beds, in the mountains, on the plains and even in the streets of small villages," Dr. Yokohi said.

### Vegetables From U.S.

Canada Imports Large Quantities Of Potatoes and Onions

During the first nine months of 1930, Canadians ate more potatoes and onions grown in the United States than the people of any other foreign country, according to a commerce department report. Despite the counter-vailing duty of 75 cents a hundred-weight instituted in May, Canadian took 43 per cent. of the total export and are crop of potatoes during that period. Canada paid less than a million dollars for the early potatoes and less than \$200,000 for the onions.

### Was Weak and Run Down Could Scarcely Do Housework

Mrs. Edward A. Allen, Bonanza, Alta., writes: "I would like to tell you of the great benefit I have received from your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I was feeling very weak and run down in health, and I could scarcely do any housework. In fact, I would have to be down in the afternoon for an hour or so. I saw your Pills in the drug store and took a box home with me, and I was delighted with my renewed strength. I have recommended them to a neighbor and feel sure they will help her too."



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### Prize For Timely Seed

Robt. Cochrane Of Grand Prairie Awarded C.N.R. Cash Prize

In recognition of having won the world's championship for 1930 in Timothy seed, Robert Cochrane, of Grand Prairie, Alta., has been awarded the special Canadian National Railway's cash prize. Cochrane, the Chicago international hay and grain show to the Canadian taking first place in that competition.

Announcement has also been made by R. English, of the Canadian National Agricultural Department, that the special prize for top place in alfalfa seed at the same show goes to Nick Chjette, of Ranier, Alta., who has been a winner in this field for some years. Cochrane, too, has been taking championships at Chicago for many years. The donors of the prize say, but this is the first time he has taken first place as a grower of timothy seed.

### Doctor Lives On Raw Food

Advocates Single Diet In Order To Keep In Good Health

Hard times and unemployment distress could be greatly lessened, according to Dr. Julian P. Thomas, Winnipeg food specialist, because one husel of wheat and one husel of oats, together with a little fresh vegetable, would keep a man well nourished for at least a year.

In support of this startling assertion, Dr. Thomas cites an experiment performed by himself some forty years ago, when he lived on nothing but raw wheat and water (for a period of ninety days. At that time the wheat cost \$1 per bushel. When he started the experiment, he had such a weak stomach that he could not eat sufficient ordinary food to keep going. On the raw foods he became so strong and healthy that he was able to turn his excessive energy into money.

Upon investigating the subject, he finds that some people in all of the older nations have lived as he is now living, some of them attaining such old age that modern folk do not believe the accounts, even when they occur in the Bible. The fact is, Dr. Thomas was first induced to pay attention to his diet through reading the Book of Daniel. His first experiments were started years ago, and many people then laughed at his ideas. But all of these people are now dead, and he is still going strong. With the firm belief that he will live for one or two hundred years, and that each day of his life will be happy and vigorous.

### An Accurate Clock

Designed For Timing Football Matches At Highbury, England

A novel clock has been installed on the football grounds at Highbury, England. It is a forty-two minute timepiece, and at half-time and time it sounds an electrically worked hooter. From one to forty-five minutes are marked on the face in black. From forty-six to ninety they are in red. If a player is injured during the course of a match, the operator can stop the clock at once. For it is worked by ordinary clockwork mechanism. Thus, this clock can be adjusted so as to measure the exact duration of actual play. This mammoth timepiece weighs one and a quarter tons without its frame and is no less than eight feet in diameter. It has been designed for the sole purpose of making the timing of football matches as accurate as possible.

### Natural Gas

The consumption of natural gas in Canada during 1929 for domestic purposes was calculated to be sufficient to displace 610,000 tons of coal.

### Furs a Necessity

Market For Furs Has Not Suffered During Hard Times

The success of any business lies in the market demand. It might have been expected that under existing depression fur farming would suffer heavily. For some reason, however, this has not been the case for good furs, even at the late winter sales, brought fair prices. From this it would appear that furs are more of a necessity, particularly in the northern countries. Annual Report, Federal Department of Agriculture.

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### Agriculture Needs Help

Way must means have been decided for helping all the industries except agriculture. Thought should be directed at once to a policy that will bolster up farming. If agriculture can be made even tolerably prosperous all other industries will derive more benefit from the reflected prosperity than they could ever hope to enjoy from a tariff as high as the peace tower on Parliament Hill. — Farmers' Advocate.

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### What Price Glory

Judging from an incident which occurred recently at the Balfour Technical school, Regina, that city might still be in wastes of snow and ice, for all one gentleman overseas knows about it. The mailman delivered a science obituary to the technical school, mailed from London, England, advertising scientific equipment. It was addressed simply: "Science Master, High School, Regina, North West Territories." What price glory, Saskatchewan?

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### Friday the Thirteenth

There will be two more Fridays the thirteenth in 1931 than in 1930. Friday the thirteenth will fall three times in 1931, whereas in 1930 there was only one Friday the thirteenth. In 1931 there will be Fridays the thirteenth in February, March and November.

Nearly 50 warehouses have been built at the Sahonki Free Zone in Greece.



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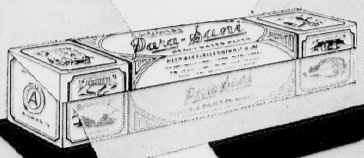
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## Extension Of Market For Honey In Baking Industry Investigated By National Research Council

Extension of the market for honey in the baking industry would seem to lie in the direction of increasing its use in sweet goods such as sugar cookies, rather than in the manufacture of bread, as has been a common belief, states the report of an investigation in the laboratory of the University of Manitoba, issued by the National Research Council's Associate committee on grain research.

It has been widely held that the substitution of honey for cane sugar in the manufacture of bread would result in a more rapid rate of fermentation and in an improvement in the flavor and keeping-quality of the bread. The study now reported which was made with financial assistance from the National Research Council and the Canadian Wheat Pool by Professor W. E. Geddes and C. A. Winkler, 1926 Wheat Pool research fellow for Manitoba, disproves this suggestion.

The alternative put forward by the investigators is that honey be used where its flavor, higher sweetening power and ability to absorb moisture are particularly advantageous.

It was found that the substitution of honey for commercial cane sugar in various straight-dough bread making formulae made no significant difference in loaf volume, flavor or other bread characteristics, indicating that honey possesses in these circumstances no superiority, but is of equal value when compared on the basis of equivalent sugar content.

### Figured On Yearly Basis

Worker's Income Depends On Number Of Working Days

"This city is practically bankrupt," is a sentence in a letter received from Detroit. It probably means only that Detroit is suffering heavily from the business depression, and that people there are despondent.

It is a little singular that with Mr. Ford paying \$7 a day to his employees—or so the world understands—and so setting a fine example to all employers, that there should not be good times in Detroit. Perhaps Mr. Ford only pays this wage to his men when they are working, and it may be that they don't work steadily.

Seven dollars a day don't mean much to a man if he only gets work occasionally. That would mean \$2,135 a year of 365 working days. But if a man's yearly income only averages \$1,200 a year that would be only \$1 a day.

The problem for wage earners is to get a living wage by the year. It would seem that a bricklayer earning \$10 a day would really only be in receipt of \$5 a day if he only worked six months of the year. Workmen have to live whether their jobs hold out or not. All their calculations should be on a yearly basis.

### New Road Competition

A new competition for highways recently discovered in Cape Town, South Africa, is said to cut the cost of road making one-half as compared with ordinary material, double the life of the road and halve the length of time of laying.



"Do you speak French?"  
"Yes, but I don't like it, as I have to think before I speak." *Stendhal—Paris—Strix, Stockholm.*

W. N. U. 1873

### Financial Expert Gives

#### Cause Of Depression

Men Unable To Control Machine They Have Created

"Human beings have not learned how to control the machine they have created," declared Sir Basil Blackett, noted British financial expert, when questioned as to the cause of the present world-wide depression at his arrival at Montreal. Sir Basil is a director of the Bank of England and chairman of the Imperial and International Communications, Limited.

Financial member on the executive council to the Viceroy of India, Sir Basil is well qualified to speak on that country, which, he said, was ready for a greater measure of responsible government. He expressed pleasure in the appointment of Viscount Willingdon, governor-general of Canada, as the next Viceroy.



(By Eva A. Taggart)



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### Live Stock Improvement

Dr. Rudolph, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, Says Matter Needs Attention

Periodical testing of herds and direct efforts at improvement of stock are the most important questions before the dairy farmers of Canada, said Dr. J. A. Rudolph, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, who addressed the annual convention of the Dairy-men's Association of Eastern Ontario.

Farmers were feeling the pinch of low prices, but, he said, the average farmer is losing very nearly if not quite as much every year by his failure to give attention to this matter as he is through the drop in values at the present time.

"The average annual yield of milk per cow in Canada is now thought to be about 4,500 pounds, or the equivalent of just about 400 pounds of cheese. If this yield were increased by 50 per cent, which is easily possible, it would be equal to an increase of two and one-half cents a pound on the original 400 pounds of cheese at 15 cents a pound after allowing for the cost of manufacture," Dr. Rudolph said.

From reports already received, the commissioner estimated that the production in 1926 was probably 10,000,000 pounds higher than in 1925.

### Loss From Insect Pests

Damage To Saskatchewan Crops During 1925 Estimated At Over Ten Million Dollars

The year 1925 is referred to as one comparatively free from spectacular outbreaks of insect pests. But, the annual report of the Dominion Department of Agriculture cites as a conservative estimate of the damage by the major insect pests to the wheat crop in Saskatchewan alone \$10,412,000.

A saving of \$26,000 in one district in Alberta, through a local control campaign, combined with the average best crop, and another case of a saving of \$5,900 on one farm alone as the result of control work with the wheat stem sawfly, show rather conclusively the value of the work being carried out under the direction of the Entomological Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

### Bee-Keeping Profitable In Alberta

Bees have proven to be a very profitable and practical division of agriculture in Alberta and today represent one of the province's youngest and fastest-growing industries. In the opinion of H. L. Luther, head beekeeper at the Lethbridge Dominion Experimental Station.

## Life Story Of J. B. Tyrrell, Eminent Canadian Geologist, Makes Interesting Reading

Canada's Bacon Trade With Britain Small

Dominion Could Supply Market Now Served By Denmark

Canada supplied only \$9,100 hundred weight of bacon to the market in Great Britain of the 7,414,020 hundred weight imported in the first 10 months of 1926, according to trade returns. The value of the imports of bacon were \$34,922,063, of which the value of Canadian bacon was \$433,355.

Importation of Canadian hams to Great Britain is quoted as 70,585 hundred weight of the total imports of \$65,035 for the 10 months.

Commenting on the amount of Canadian bacon and hams placed in the British market, W. Waldron, provincial markets commissioner, said recently: "The marketing of Danish bacon in England is carried on to a great extent by the Danish Bacon Company, Smithfield, London. England, Bacon is received by this organization from 45 factories in Denmark. The company has depots at London, Hull, Leith, Liverpool, Manchester, Chester, Barrow, Newcastle, Stoke-on-Trent, Birmingham, Cardiff, Ipswich, Exeter, Portsmouth and Bristol. Denmark has concentrated on the British market, which could be very well served by Canada, as she is well established in England and her bacon is popular."

Mr. Waldron continued to say that the sales of the Danish Bacon Company in England reached £250,000 each year and that all the Danish bacon imported by England was not handled by the bacon company.

### Powdered Milk

Saskatchewan Government Will Encourage Manufacture Of Product

The Saskatchewan government is formulating plans to encourage the manufacture of powdered milk, as used extensively in the British Isles, by these poultry raisers who provide the British market with milked chickens. The possibilities of such an industry are emphasized by W. Waldron, provincial markets commissioner, who is back from the War's Poultry Congress in London, England, and who points out that part of the manufactured product could be used for pampered birds.

### WAS IDOL OF FRANCE



Interesting character study of Marshal Joseph Joffre, hero of the Marne and commander-in-chief of French armies 1913-17, who died in Paris following an illness that necessitated amputation of one leg. The marshal, bearer of British Order of Merit, and Grand Order of Legion of Honor, would have been 80 years old January 4.

Scientists, particularly Canadian scientists, are a very modest lot, and it is often hard to get at the facts of lives to extract the real gold of romance which often underlies their careers.

For this reason a biography of that eminent Canadian geologist, J. B. Tyrrell, written by his lifelong friend, W. J. Louden, B.A., will be welcomed in that it tells a remarkably interesting story with praiseworthy clearness and throws much light on this type of explorer-geologist who has made such a big contribution to the development of Canada.

Mr. Louden tells of the geologist as a boy in Weston, Ontario, wandering after school hours about the woods collecting specimens of rocks and fossils; developing a taste for the use of the revolver; and after going to Upper Canada College, where his scientific bent received recognition, and thence to Toronto University, where he annexed the highest honors in geology, chemistry and allied subjects.

Then we see Tyrrell coming to Ottawa to take a position with the Geological Survey and his expectations for many years in the far West and the far North. That was in the early eighties, when Calgary and Edmonton were little villages, when buffalo still roamed the plains and thrills ably were the lot of the pioneer. Journey after journey was taken into Hudson Bay, to the foothills of the Rockies, through Saskatchewan and Manitoba, and to the outposts north of latitude fifty.

Particularly important were Tyrrell's surveys in the Red River basin. Coal mining in this area was then a dream of the future, and its subsequent development owes much to the splendid reports turned in by this great geologist. He was "the first man on the continent to discover the remains of dinosaurs, those gigantic animals which millions of years ago wandered in the Goodfellow of Alberta. At great personal risk he and his surveying party brought the first specimens of these animals to the National Museum.

Tyrrell was sent to the Yukon just before the great gold rush of '98. The lure of gold got into the blood. He resigned his job with the Geological Survey and with a mining friend went out to make his fortune. He nearly starved for a time, then prospered, came his way. Contracts for expert opinion poured in, claims were taken up, companies formed and for some years his income ran to \$30,000 a year.

But the day of placer mining was passing; he failed to get the financial support for his biggest property, he was involved in costly litigation, and by 1905 he decided to bid farewell to the Land of the Midnight Sun. In this part of the story we see Tyrrell as a geologist, not as a prospector, for expert opinion poured in, claims were taken up, companies formed and for some years his income ran to \$30,000 a year.

Tyrrell came back from the Yukon untainted by the excesses of mining who had been lured by the spell of El Dorado, but not much richer in pocket. Later he accepted a very remunerative position as chief geologist for a great Anglo-French mining corporation and continued his explorations and investigations in every part of the Dominion, but particularly in Northern Ontario. A few years before the Great War he made the most important survey of the Hudson Bay district ever undertaken at the request of Sir James Whitney. Still hale and vigorous at 72 he is today recognized as one of the greatest mining and geological experts on the continent, Ottawa Journal.

### Would Not Need It

A newspaper dated July 26, 1803, just found in Glasgow, Scotland, contains the following item: "Three men after dinner ate 14 quarts of nuts, and during their sitting drank six bottles of port wine, and no other liquor."



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J. E. GORDON, Editor & Manager

## Alberta School Week, February 16th to 21st

This week has been set apart by  
the educational authorities of the  
province for the special study of  
school matters.

Among the many problems that  
can be considered, none is more  
important than that of co-operation  
between school and home.

Below is an extract from an article  
by D. F. Kellner, which is worthy  
of consideration by both parents and  
teachers:

"There are two important institu-  
tions for every child: the school  
and the home. Each of these take  
a very important part in character-  
building, and in assisting or retard-  
ing the acquiring of an education,  
which should be of use through life,  
regardless of the ending that it  
followed. Should those who are  
occupying the dominant positions of  
being in control of school or home,  
find a ground, and agree on ideals,  
it would no doubt be possible to  
work together, and such effort should  
give us a people of higher character,  
of nobler ambitions, and more  
efficient to take a useful place in  
life. When our surveys in country,  
and contemplations on the unhappi-  
ness, want and misery, intermingled  
with wealth and abundance, the  
opinion must inevitably be arrived  
at that humanity has been misled,  
and failed to achieve a standard of  
life that was, and is possible."

"The teacher who conveys the  
impression among the pupils that  
all are to be treated in a fair and  
impartial way, has accomplished  
much. If either teacher or parent  
knows of a pupil who thinks the  
teacher is discriminating against  
him, they should lose no time in  
having a joint conference with the  
pupil, and persuade him that dis-  
crimination does not exist, or if it  
does, will be summarily disconti-  
nued."

"If the parents discuss the teacher,  
they should express words of appre-  
ciation if possible, but if they really  
feel that criticism is necessary, they  
should restrain their discussion until  
the pupil has gone to bed. Then  
too, a teacher should be very careful  
not to criticize a pupil before his  
class. When there is discussion be-  
tween teacher and pupil, it could usually  
be adjusted by the teacher discussing  
it with the parents. Should the  
pupil in his home criticize the teach-  
er, the parents might, by a discus-  
sion with the teacher, find the cause  
of the irritation."

"I would suggest a motto to be  
observed by Teacher, Parent, and  
Pupil. That the reason for, and  
benefit of an education is to create a  
desire, and cultivate an ability to  
make life more worth living for each  
and every person in our country."

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. G. O. Smith wishes to  
express her appreciation and thanks  
to the friends and neighbors, also  
the fire brigade, who helped extin-  
guish the fire at her place a few days  
ago.

## LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. Carl Sick, of Innisfail, was a  
business visitor here on Monday.

Miss Joyce Moyle is visiting her  
sister at Queenstown this week.

Mr. D. Edwards made a business  
trip to Calgary on Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Clarke and Miss Farr  
paid a visit to Calgary Monday.

Mr. A. Watson, of the Royal  
Bank at Bowden is spending his vaca-  
tion with his parents here.

Mr. Geo. Wrigglesworth, of Rocky  
Mountain House, was renewing  
acquaintances here this week.

Miss R. Farrell is visiting with her  
sister, Mrs. Dr. Clarke this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schmidt enter-  
tained a number of friends on Thurs-  
day evening. Five tables of pro-  
gressive whist were played and after  
cards, a dainty repast was served.

Rev. C. J. Hallman, who has been  
at Orange, California for the  
last few weeks, returned home on  
Thursday last. He thinks it good  
to be back in Didsbury again.

Last Saturday, the large windmill  
on O. W. Stuller's farm was seen  
leaving its stately position, where  
it has stood the stories of twenty-five  
years. It has done its work well,  
and served its day. A John Deere,  
and twelve inch grinder now do the  
work.

The valentine dances given by the  
Canadian Legion on Friday evening  
proved most popular, and the hall  
was taxed to its utmost limits. In  
addition to the usual valentine dec-  
orations, the walls were lined with  
photographs of the boys at the front.  
Members of the O.C.D.F. assisted  
in the serving of refreshments.  
Altogether the affair proved to be a  
success both socially and financially.

The W.C.T.U. held a very inter-  
esting Frances Willard Memorial  
meeting at the home of Mrs. J. V.  
Berchell last Thursday afternoon. A  
petition to our government in the  
form of a resolution to encourage  
and promote a sentiment of peace  
was unanimously carried. After  
the necessary business, a worth-while  
program was given. This was com-  
menced with a beautiful selection  
from Miss Olive Chamberlain. Mrs.  
Burkholder gave a splendid paper  
on "Systematic Giving," followed  
by a duet from Mrs. Traub, and  
Mrs. J. Shantz. Mrs. Berchell  
read a paper on the "Life of Frances  
Willard," and Miss Olive Chamber-  
lain read a tribute of poetry to  
Frances Willard, composed by Mrs.  
Lamont. Mrs. Reher gave an  
excellent report on the Alberta  
Prohibition Convention, which she  
attended recently in Calgary. Two  
special songs by the group, added  
much to the enjoyment, and after a  
delightful lunch and social half-  
hour, we all agreed it was good for  
us to have been there.

"Pioneer" Want Ads. bring results.

## NOTICE FOR NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTIONS

Municipal District of Mountain View,  
No. 319, Municipal Elections, 1931.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that  
a meeting of the electors of the Municipal  
District of Mountain View, No. 319, will  
be held at the Agricultural School, Crows-  
foot, Alberta, at one o'clock p.m. on Saturday  
the 21st day of February, 1931, for the  
discussion of all matters of the district,  
and from three o'clock p.m. to four  
o'clock p.m. on the same day, and at the  
same place, nominations for the office of  
Councillor will be received. Three Councillors  
are to be elected.

Councillors are to be elected for the  
following electoral divisions: Division  
No. 1, Division No. 2, Division No. 3.  
GIVEN under my hand at Didsbury,  
this 9th day of February, 1931.

HUGH McLEAN,  
Returning Officer.

## Young Wife Afraid To Eat, Lives on Soup

"Afraid of stomach gas, I lived on  
soup for 5 months. Then I tried Ad-  
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sonous waste you never knew was  
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which cleans only PART of bowels,  
but let Adlerika give stomach and  
bowels a REAL cleaning and get rid  
of all gas!

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## Notice of Nomination Meeting

Town of Didsbury Municipal  
Election, 1931

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that  
a meeting of the electors of the town of  
Didsbury will be held in the office of the  
Secretary-Treasurer on Saturday, the 21st  
day of February, 1931, from 11 o'clock  
in the forenoon until 12 o'clock noon for  
the purpose of nominating candidates  
for the office of councillor, rendered  
vacant owing to the resignation of coun-  
cillor H. N. Reher, whose unexpired  
term of office expires year.

GIVEN under my hand at Didsbury,  
Alberta, this 10th day of February,  
1931.

W. A. AUSTIN,  
Returning Officer.

## NOTICE FOR NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTIONS

Municipal District of Westerdale, No. 311  
Municipal Elections, 1931.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that  
a meeting of the electors of the Municipal  
District of Westerdale, No. 311, will be  
held at Westerdale Community Hall at  
one o'clock p.m. on Saturday, the 21st  
day of February, 1931, for the discussion  
of the affairs of the district, and that  
from three o'clock p.m. to four o'clock  
p.m. on the same day, and at the same  
place, nominations for the office of Coun-  
cillor will be received. Three Councillors  
are to be elected.

Councillors are to be elected for the  
following electoral divisions: Division  
No. 4, Division No. 5, Division No. 6.  
GIVEN under my hand at Didsbury,  
this 9th day of February, 1931.

P. L. STURTON,  
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## Notice . . .

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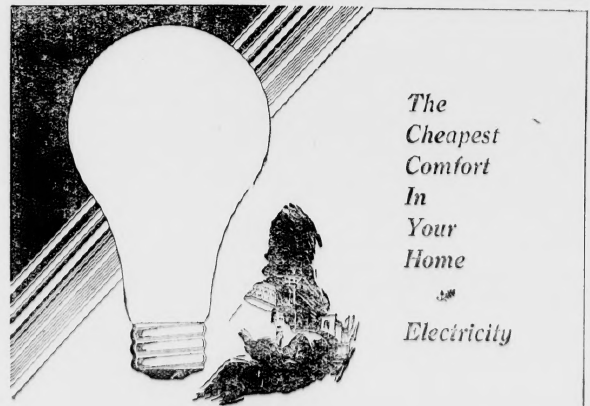
California Prunes 4lb packet 50c.	4lb Seedless Raisins 50c
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Rev. A. E. Hayes, B.A., Minister.

11 a.m. Knox Sunday School

7:30 p.m. Knox Church, Didsbury

Westcott 11 a.m. Sunday School and Service.

Westerdale: 2:30 p.m. Sunday School and Service.

## O.S.A. Distributes Seeds and Plants

The O.S.A. Experimental Union has again available for distribution to its members, some excellent seeds, plants, etc. as listed below. Each member may make from ONE to FIVE selections.

The Membership Fee is fifty cents. Members of the O.S.A. Alumni Association are eligible to make selections without fee.

Grains: (4 pounds in each lot)

Wheat: Marquis, Garnet, and Reward.

Oats: Banner, White Cross, and Alaska.

Barley: O.A.C. 21, Beazer, Himalayan, and Harbinger.

Peas: Golden Vine, Arthur.

Potatoes: (4 pounds in each lot)

Netted Gem, Gold Nugget, and Vick's Extra Early.

Alfalfa: Grimm (2 ozs. in each lot)

Sweet Clover: Aretic and Yellow Blossom. (4 ozs. in each lot)

Vegetable Seeds: (Home Grown)

Carrot: Scarlet Nantes (2 ozs.)

Turnip: Lord Derby (2 ozs.)

Peas: Premium Gem, Harbinger (4 ozs.)

Cabbage: Golden Acre, Copenhagen Market. (½ oz.)

Early Corn: Howe's Alberta Flint. (2 ozs.)

Current Cuttings: (12 in each lot)

Black: Topsy, Champion, and Boskoop.

Red: Red Dutch, Red Grape.

White: White Dutch.

Tree Cuttings: Willow, and Russian Poplar. (60 in each lot)

Perennial Flowers: (assortment of 8 roots)

Annual Flowers: (collection of seed of five annuals)

Only a limited supply of each class of material is available, so that some substitution may be necessary. No orders will be accepted after April 15th. Membership Fee must accompany order. Express, or postal charges must be met by the member. An average collection will weigh about 14 lbs., so that postage would cost about 50 cents. This might be included with the membership fee.

Report forms must be filled in and returned before the end of the growing season.

Applicants are requested to print their name and address plainly. They are also requested to give both their post office and express office.

## IS YOUR POWER COSTING YOU TWICE WHAT IT SHOULD?

In the Olds district last year, on upwards of twenty farms, tests were made to ascertain the cost of operating tractors. In addition to getting the actual cost of doing the work two other noteworthy facts were established: first, that most of the tractors were not carrying the load they should and second that the operating cost decreased as the load increased.

Sixteen tractors, of various makes, working on as many farms and handled by their regular operators, had an aggregate drawbar rating of 392 horsepower. The dynamometer, a machine to measure the drawbar pull, showed that when working these tractors were using only 197½ horsepower, or a little less than two-thirds of their rated power.

Only one tractor was using its full rated power, while several were using only about half their rated load.

To compare the cost of the work being done by these different machines, it was found necessary to reduce the expenses (including only fuel, oil and wages) to a common basis—the cost of producing one horsepower at the drawbar for one hour. The following figures show some of the variations:

Tractor Number	Rating	h.p. Used	Cost per h.p. hour
1	15-20	6.6	14¢
2	15-20	8.	13½¢
2	15-20	9.4	14¢
3	22-30	14.1	8½¢
3	22-30	14.5	6½¢
4	29-30	29.2	5½¢

Tractor No. 1 working at less than half its rated capacity delivered one

horsepower at the drawbar for 14½¢; with a heavier load the cost was reduced to 13½¢, while tractor No. 4, working at its full rated capacity, did the same amount of work for 5½¢.

Another illustration. A tractor operator in 1928 had to use a three-bottom plow although his tractor could have handled one with four bottoms. During the season 600 acres of stubble and fallow land were plowed, averaging 25 acres per drum of gas.

The following year a four-bottom plow was used and 500 acres plowed, but this time the average was 30 acres to the drum. If the larger plow had been used in 1928 the saving would have amounted to 180 gallons of gas. How far would that run your car?

Moral—Load your tractor to its full rated capacity and save money.

F. L. Parkinson.

# GOVERNMENT ANALYST

## REPORTS ON

# ALBERTA BEERS

## Quality is Better than Pre-War

Rumors have reached us regarding the Quality of Alberta Beers and in order to settle the question, samples were taken out of Distributors Ltd. Stock and sent to Dr. James A. Kelso, Provincial Analyst, University of Alberta. The following four questions were asked of Dr. Kelso:

1. Is the Beer sufficiently Matured?
2. How does it compare in quality with the Alberta Beer analysed by you in pre-war days?
3. Is the Beer wholesome in every way, and free from all foreign substances?
4. What comments have you to make on the keeping qualities of the Beer submitted?

These questions were answered by Dr. Kelso as follows:

1. All samples are, in my opinion, sufficiently matured.
2. In my opinion, all of the Beers are of better quality than the pre-war product, which was often cloudy. Beers tested by me during the past year are much more uniform in strength, extract, etc. than those before the war.
3. I would consider the Beers wholesome in every way, and free from deleterious constituents.
4. Judging from forcing tests, all samples of bottle goods tested are efficiently pasteurized. The freezing test shows the Beer of satisfactory keeping qualities, with the proper elimination of such proteins as are thrown out of solution by low temperatures. The Draft Beer not being pasteurized, could not be subjected to forcing or freezing test, and I consider samples of such Beer properly matured and of satisfactory keeping qualities if kept under correct conditions.

"The bottle liquors, with exception of the Porter and Stout were given a forcing and freezing test. This is done by keeping the Beer at a temperature of 90 to 100 degrees for one week, then freezing solid, and thawing in chilled ice. In all the samples there was neither cloudiness or any sediment, tests showing perfectly clear.

The original report is on file at Distributors Ltd. head office, Calgary, and is open to public inspection. Space only prevents us from publishing the report in detail.

AGENTS FOR THE BREWING INDUSTRY OF ALBERTA

# DISTRIBUTORS LIMITED

This advertisement is not inserted by the Alberta Liquor Control Board or by the Government of the Province of Alberta.

## Here and There

(723) A British Columbia creamery has recently been awarded a contract by a Hong Kong firm of provision merchants for the shipment of 30 boxes of butter per month. For the past eight years shipments of British Columbia butter have been made to Japan and it has sold at a premium in the markets of that country.

"Pioneer" Want Ads. bring results



### Weak After Operation

"I was very weak after an operation. My nerves were so bad I would sit down and cry and my husband would not go out and leave me alone. Now my nerves are much better, thanks to a booklet that was left under the door. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound surely put me on my feet. I have taken eight bottles. My friends tell me I look fine. My sister has taken this medicine, too."—Mrs. Annie Walton, 67 Stanley St., Kingston, Ontario.

**Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound**

### WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

An increase of 15,502,819 (about \$27,412,472 in Britain's adverse trade balance for 1929, as compared with 1928, was revealed in board of trade statistics.

The United States senate immigration committee has referred the Reed resolution providing a two-cent tax on immigration to a subcommittee for consideration of changes.

Exclusion of orientals from ownership or control of Crown lands in B.C. is sought in a petition to the provincial government by the White Canada Association of Vancouver.

Inquiries for Canadian products have been received by L. M. Cogswell, Canadian trade commissioner to Shanghai, resulting from the Canadian trade delegation's visit.

There should be no fear regarding support of the 1894 H.C. national advertisement in the opinion of Major J. A. Motherwell, chief supervisor of fisheries.

Three men were killed and one injured when a Royal Air Force bombing plane crashed into a style house at this village on the border of Nottinghamshire and Lancashire, England.

### BREAKS UP GAS IN THE STOMACH

The famous "Peppermint Cure" for indigestion, gas, heartburn, and all stomach troubles, is now available in a new form. It is a powerful, yet gentle, remedy for all stomach troubles, and is the only one that breaks up gas in the stomach.

### Increased Hog Production

At a meeting of the Alberta Swine Breeders' Association the other day, S. G. Gault, livestock commissioner, reported that present conditions in Western Canada pointed to a 100 per cent increase in hog production next spring.

### Pay For Position

In some towns where tips are forbidden, the chamberlains (pay) the employees for the right to work. In him, declared a critic, during a recent hearing before the industry of labor commission in London.

**Instant Relief!  
Corn's  
Sore Foot Lumps  
PUTNAM'S  
Corn Extractor**

W. N. L. 1873

### A Peaceful Outlook

Best Of Feeling Exists Between English Speaking Nations

At the present time, our Government has no pending difference of serious import with that of any other country. Looking back, we have reason to think with satisfaction upon the circumstances of good will that surrounded the negotiations at London, England, resulting in the Naval treaty. There will be no questions arising in the future as a matter of course. But if we are not foolishly negligent of our responsibilities we will appropriate the money to build our navy up to the full limit of the quotas agreed upon, and thus maintain actual parity with the annual-gated fleets of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

Whether the Labor party, the Conservative party, or the Liberal party should be in power at Westminster in years to come, our own government should have no difficulty in maintaining the most frank and cordial relations. Ambassadors like Lord Bryce and Sir Esmé Howard at Washington represented all parts of the British Empire with the utmost fidelity. But when our diplomats began to appear at Washington under authority of the British Crown — a minister from Canada, a minister from Ireland, and so on — perfectly good relations continued to exist both with the British government and also with the American Department of State. The same situation continues under the present highly regarded Ambassador at Washington, Sir Ronald Lindsay. It is not to pass idle compliments, but to indicate a peace-making and peace-loving situation of great importance, that we call attention to working harmony now existing, at the beginning of 1931, throughout the entire English-speaking world. — American Review of Reviews.

### Showed Their Wisdom

Figures Prove Increased Advertising During Depression Is Good Business

Dr. Julius Klein, Assistant Secretary of the United States Department of Commerce, and a business expert of international distinction, made this statement the other day:

"In advertising, the business world has at its command a force which, if intelligently employed, will be certain to speed up our progress toward economic well-being. For past experience have proven the beneficial results of advertising at a time when business is depressed."

"Then he gives facts." Study of the operations of a representative group of advertisers, during the depression of 1921, showed that those which increased their advertising had losses during the worst period only one-half as great as those which decreased it. One year later the firms which increased their advertising appropriations showed an average gain of 7 per cent, while the average for the others was a 12 per cent drop on the wrong side of the ledger.

### Marine Merger

World-Wide United States Shipping Service To Be Created

A world-wide shipping service under the United States flag will be created through a consolidation of interests of the International Mercantile Marine Company and the Roosevelt Steamship Company, which was announced in New York.

The merger, which has been rumored for several months, was announced by P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, The Roosevelt Company, which was organized in 1925, will retain its corporate identity.

Remove all caissons and enlarge your stock with Egyptian Liniment, a wonderful remedy.

### Has Done Some Walking

After walking a distance of more than four times around the world at the Equator during the last 35 years, Fred A. Dainaban, Central Vermont railway messenger, at St. Albans, is beginning his 28th year of hiking. He has averaged 10 miles per day, 360 days per year for 35 years, giving him a total walking mileage of 105,000.

Two states have post offices named Snowflake, Virginia and Arizona.

**NO MORE ECZEMA**  
Itching Ends Right Away  
"I had eczema for several years. Suffering from 'Itchy-Salt' water, and had been told that it was incurable. But I found 'Itchy-Salt' is a quick relief for eczema. Itching stops, itching goes. All doctors agree."

### Moose Jaw Grain Elevator

Dominion Government Grain Elevator Has Huge Storage Capacity

"Although the normal capacity of the Dominion Government grain elevator at Moose Jaw (exclusive of the new 2,000,000 bushel addition) is generally placed at 3,500,000 bushels," says "The Optimizer," "this amount of grain has been exceeded on several occasions during the past few weeks. On October 30th last a total of 3,584,792 bushels of various grains were in store, while on November 13th there were 3,750,304 bushels and on November 22nd, there were 3,533,601 bushels stored up."

### A Simple Treatment For Children's Colds

Cold in the head is very common at this time of year, especially in the very young. Neglect of a cold is prone to lead to serious consequences. To relieve all congestion of the system is the first step in treating a cold, whether in infants or adults. For the very young, Baby's Own Tablets are the ideal means of doing this. Containing no narcotic or other harmful drugs they soothe the child's irritability, relieve its suffering and ensure convalescence.

Baby's Own Tablets are without an equal for relieving indigestion, constipation and colic. They check diarrhoea, break up colds and simple fevers, promote health-giving sleep and make the dreaded teething period easy. They are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Exhibition Profit

Operating profit of the Canadian National Exhibition for the past year amounted to \$279,915. The city of Toronto received a cheque from exhibition officials for \$110,491, the rest other payments to the city bring the amount turned into the municipal coffers for 1930 up to \$245,850.

### A Noddy Headlight

Some day the captain may turn to the first mate and ask: "Heard that headlight?" Sounds funny, but John Rehrle, marine expert, declares that a new type of headlight with a modified radio beam, combining light and sound, will soon make navigating in fog safe.

### All-Canada Phone System

Big Telephone Project To Link Halifax With Vancouver

As a result of the co-operative arrangements between the seven main telephone systems of Canada, the work is now proceeding to realize an all-Canada transcontinental system that will make it possible for a firm in Halifax to speak with one in Vancouver, a distance of 4,319 miles, without using lines outside of the Dominion.

Up to the present time it has been impossible to link western Canada with eastern Canada over an all-Canadian route. This has been partly due to differences in standard equipment of the various companies, but chiefly to the fact that what is known as "long" long distance service requires somewhat different equipment than the "short haul" traffic, such as large size copper wire, etc.

With a view to inaugurating the all-Canada service, large size copper wires have already been installed between Toronto and Winnipeg, while the three government systems of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are now at work constructing such heavy duty lines preparatory to the introduction of the all-Canada service. British Columbia and Maritime organizations are also undertaking the work, so that in the near future the construction of the line from coast to coast is expected to be complete.

At the rate the work is at present proceeding, it is anticipated that by the summer of 1931 long distance messages may be transmitted from Halifax to Calgary, and by the spring of 1932, it is expected the entire coast to coast service will be in operation.

A pleasant method for children to learn to drive is by using the Pioneer Extensimeter, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

### West Indies and Canada

Canada must assume a temporary role of "big brother" to the British West Indies if the full possibilities of trade between these parts of the Empire are to be attained, says a report issued by the Empire Club of Ottawa following a study of the subject. In other words, the report holds, Canadians must spend a greater sum in the West Indies in order that the Island states may be placed in a position where they can become heavy purchasers.

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Chilblains, Frost Bite  
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**For Instant Ease From COUGHING take BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE**

**Pioneer Captain Dead**  
Captain John Ward Tompkins, 87, pioneer of the Great Lakes, died recently at Orillia, Ont. He was born in Lincolnshire, England, and came to Canada in 1866 on the brig "Seagull." He was engaged in the Great Lakes timber trade for many years and initiated navigation on the Magnetawan River at Burke's Fall, in 1885.

**for CHAPPED SKIN**  
Dress Mineral with one-half sweet oil or cream. Apply several times a day. Free from lime use the liniment freely and undiluted.  
No trouble. Very healing!  
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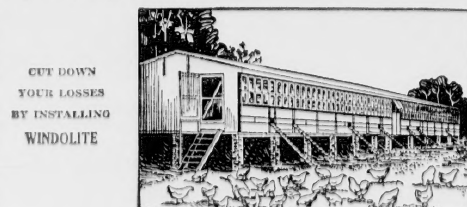
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Jelly Powders, (McLaren's) Assorted Flavors, ea.		5c
"Stein's" Corned Beef.....		20c
Peas, "Royal City," Tall Cans, size 5, 2 for		25c
"Libby's" Chicken Haddie.....		25c
"Friar" Brand Pink Salmon, Tall Tins.....	2 for	25c
Strawberry Jam, "Royal City".....	4 1/2 lbs	65c
Raspberry ".....		65c
Apples.....	Case	\$1.75
Oranges, medium size, 30c dozen, or 3 dozen		85c
Bananas.....	2 lbs	25c
"Bourbon" Coffee, 35c lb.....	3 lbs	\$1.00
"Royal" Coffee.....	per lb	50c
"Matchless" Tea.....		50c
"Ideal" ".....		45c
"Thrifty" ".....	3 lbs	85c

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### Melvin Notes.

The Johnston family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shultz east of town on Sunday.

Mr. T. Johnston, of Munson, spent a few days this week with his brother, Mr. Peter Johnston.

Messrs. Harold Johnston and Frank Clanchett were at Three Hills on Monday.

A number of the young people motored to Emeraldale last Wednesday evening to skate.

Miss Elizabeth Sutherland, of Mornington, is spending this week with Miss Dorothy Youngs at Emeraldale.

Don't forget the box social and dance to be held in Melvin School on February 27th. Girls be sure to bring your boxes. Good music.

Mr. and Mrs. Landeen and family attended the funeral of Miss Peterson, of Mizpah, in Calgary last week. Club members will remember Miss Peterson attending club about three weeks ago.

The largest crowd yet, attended club on Saturday night, and they sure are a merry bunch. Social hour will be taken up next Saturday night with the mock trial, suspended the night of the hard-time dance. A small fee will be charged.

### Mountain View Notes

The monthly meeting of the W.I. will be held in Community Hall on Thursday afternoon, commencing at 2 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. B. McCoy, and J. A. Towars were visitors at the home of Mrs. B. A. Atkinson during the week-end.

Mrs. B. A. Atkinson attended the Fraser Willard Memorial Tea given by Didsbury W.C.T.U. at the home of Mrs. Berscht at their monthly meeting.

One farmer reports that his geese have begun to lay, so it won't be long until the ladies of the district will be busy with their spring poultry work.

The surrounding farmers seem to have gone in for pigs quite heavily, as one sees them in all directions, but was told the farmer who has feeding bins.

Mr. Hugh Roberts reports of the splendid time given to several of the district delegates at the Richmond Hotel, which is run by Mr. Grant Parkes, at one time a Didsbury resident.

Several of our ladies have taken to the art of car-driving, and in order to keep pace, the men will have to drive into aviation, where the ladies too may follow, and produce a second Ang Johnson.

### RUGBY NOTES

The dance at Rugby held by the "Clear Up Club" was well attended and a most enjoyable evening was spent by everyone. A whist party put on by the club was held in the home of Mrs. W. F. Brown last evening (Wednesday).

The February meeting of the W.I. was held in the home of Mrs. Hughes. Twenty-one members and three visitors were present. After a short business session, "Current Events" were taken up by Mrs. Hosgood, the rest of the afternoon being devoted to demonstrations of various kinds, such as preparing cheese, wool for use in confettis, rug-making, etc. Two contests were also enjoyed by the members. The meeting then adjourned with the singing of the National Anthem, after which lunch was served. Next month, the meeting will be held in the home of our president, Mrs. Farrant, and members please take note, it is on the first Wednesday, instead of Thursday.

### NORTH END LUMBER YARD

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### Burnside Notes

Dave Hughes spent the week-end with his friend, Robt. Eckel.

Mrs. Bittner is visiting relatives in Wetaskiwin.

Mr. Joe Clark returned on Saturday from his holiday in Turner Valley.

Fred Metz returned home on Saturday after his long illness, and says Burnside sure looks good to him.

Mr. Jack Elliott spent Thursday and Friday last week in Calgary, and returned with a "new bus."

Lone Pine Hall was filled to capacity last Friday night, and even standing room was at a premium for the concert and dance under the auspices of the W.I. A splendid program was given, followed by a bountiful supper, after which Reddeke's orchestra furnished music for the dance. The ladies are congratulating themselves on a nice sum added to their finances, and wish to thank all who helped make the affair such a success.

With the formal opening of the new room, Corvair's bus early in December at Keniville, N.S., the fifteenth hotel was added to the chain of Pacific Railway hostleries from the Atlantic to the Pacific. A grand gala banquet sponsored by the Keniville Board of Trade at which nearly three hundred guests sat down including the Premier of Nova Scotia and Grand Hall, Vice-president of the Company marked the opening of the new \$500,000 hotel.

If your Radio needs repairing or modernizing, call at the Pioneer Office. E. A. Ahlin is an expert on battery sets.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF MORTEN JACOBSEN, LATE OF THE VICINITY OF WESTCOOT IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, FARMER, (DECEASED).

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the above named Morten Jacobsen, who died on the 9th day of July, A.D. 1930, are required to file with the undersigned before the 25th day of March, 1931, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date, the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to those claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to his knowledge.

DATED at the City of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, this 26th day of January, 1931.

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63p Mrs. Wm. E. CUFFLING.

### LOST

LOST—One English gelding, branded (a similar) — (on left hip), also with halter and lead. Reward for information leading to recovery. Write: POSTMASTER, Westdale.

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For Rent—Five roomed house on east side of town. Vacant March 1st. Apply: A. L. A. PERRIN

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Wm. BAUDISSE, Westcott.

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FOR SALE—Victory Oats rich registered seed, 1929. Test 94% 50c per bus. Also Reward Wheat. Test 92% 81.00 per bus. Carter dis-cleaned. 50c  
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